

VPN IMPLEMENTATION

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ABSTRACT

A Virtual Private Network (VPN) has to be Implemented for an ensemble. A network for the same was designed using Cisco Packet Tracer version 8.0.0. The requirements were emulated and tested for connectivity.

A Virtual Private Network (VPN) is a network that is used to create a private scope of computer communications or to provide a secure extension of a private network over an insecure network such as the Internet.

IP Sec or Secure Socket Layer can be used to build a VPN (SSL).

These are two fundamentally distinct approaches to VPN development.

In our work, we concentrated on SSL-based VPNs, sometimes known as SSL VPNs. We have used Cisco Packet Tracer to accomplish this purpose.

Pings were used to check the connectivity and the reachability of the systems from the network.

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Description

A virtual private network has to be designed for a system ensemble.

- What is a VPN?
A virtual private network (VPN) extends a private network across a public network and enables users to send and receive data across shared or public networks as if their computing devices were directly connected to the private network.
- Benefits of a VPN:
The benefits of a VPN include increases in functionality, security, and management of the private network.
- Characteristics and Features of a VPN:
 - VPN provides access to resources that are inaccessible on the public network and is typically used for remote workers. Encryption is common, although not an inherent part of a VPN connection.
 - A VPN is created by establishing a virtual point-to-point connection through the use of dedicated circuits or with tunneling protocols over existing networks.
 - A VPN available from the public Internet can provide some of the benefits of a wide area network (WAN). From a user perspective, the resources available within the private network can be accessed remotely.

We need to configure a network design keeping the following requirements in mind.

1.1 Requirement

From the given scenario, we draw the following requirements:

Hardware Required:

3x Router

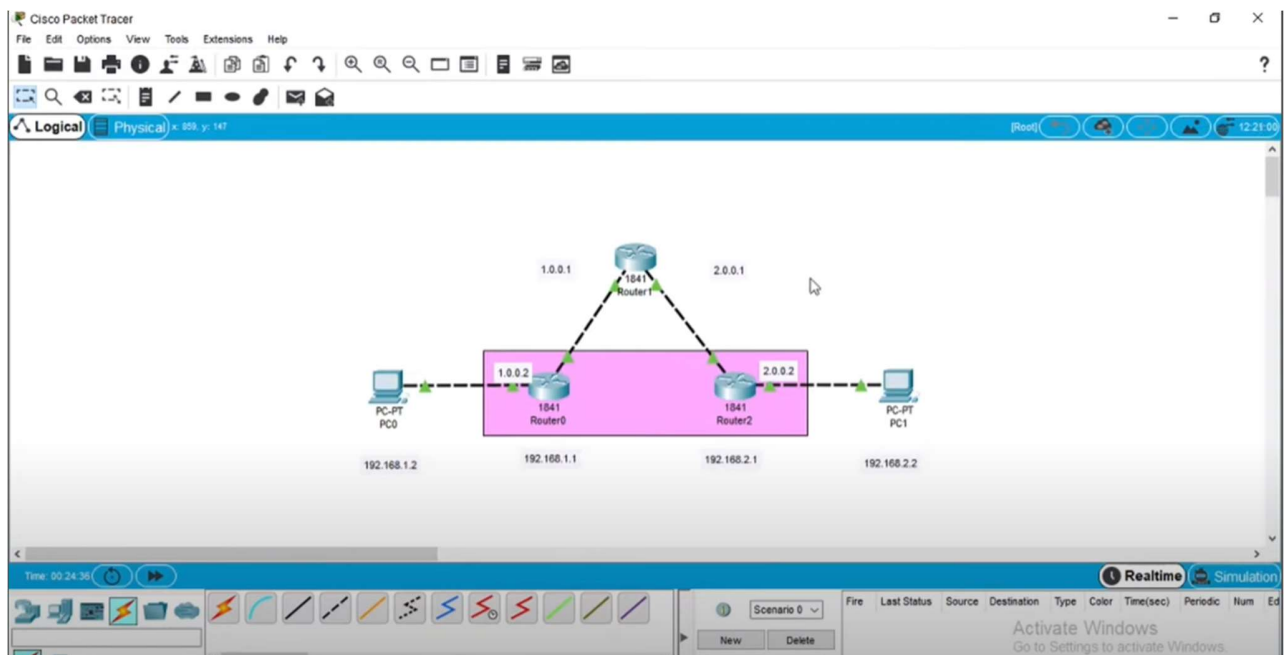
2x PC

Cross-over copper cable

4. ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

4.1 Network Architecture

The network architecture is as follows:



It has 2 pcs connected over 3 routers. 1 extra router is used to make the connection private.

5. IMPLEMENTATION

5.1 Address Table

The address table is as follows:

Device	Interface	Address
PC0	Fa0	192.168.1.2
Router0	Fa0/0	1.0.0.2
	Fa0/1	172.16.1.1
Router1	Fa0/0	1.0.0.1
	Fa0/1	2.0.0.1
Router 2	Fa0/0	2.0.0.2
	Fa0/1	172.16.1.2
PC1	Fa0/0	192.168.2.2

Static Routing is used on all the routers to interconnect the networks.

6. RESULTS AND IMPLEMENTATION

6.1 Implementation and Connection Check

The image displays two screenshots of the Cisco Packet Tracer interface, illustrating the implementation and connection check of a network configuration.

Top Screenshot: The network diagram shows a central router (Router0) connected to two other routers (Router1 and Router2). Router0 is configured with IP 192.168.1.1, Router1 with 192.168.1.2, and Router2 with 192.168.2.1. A PC (PC0) is connected to Router0 with IP 192.168.1.2. The PC0's Command Prompt window is open, showing the results of a ping command to 192.168.2.2. The output indicates that the ping failed, with a 75% loss of packets.

```
Cisco Packet Tracer PC Command Line 1.0
C:\>ping 192.168.2.2

Pinging 192.168.2.2 with 32 bytes of data:
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Reply from 192.168.2.2: bytes=32 time=12ms TTL=126

Ping statistics for 192.168.2.2:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 1, Lost = 3 (75% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 12ms, Maximum = 12ms, Average = 12ms

C:\>ping 192.168.2.2

Pinging 192.168.2.2 with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 192.168.2.2: bytes=32 time=12ms TTL=126
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Reply from 192.168.2.2: bytes=32 time=12ms TTL=126
Reply from 192.168.2.2: bytes=32 time=12ms TTL=126

Ping statistics for 192.168.2.2:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 12ms, Average = 5ms

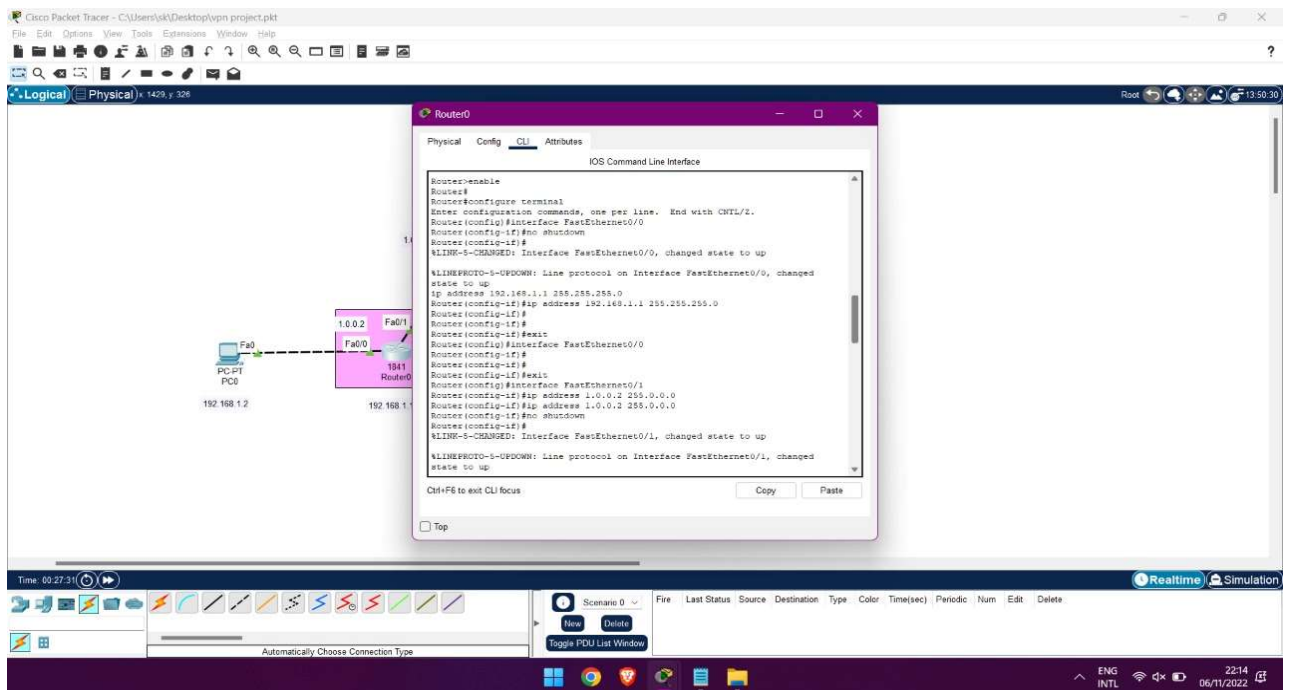
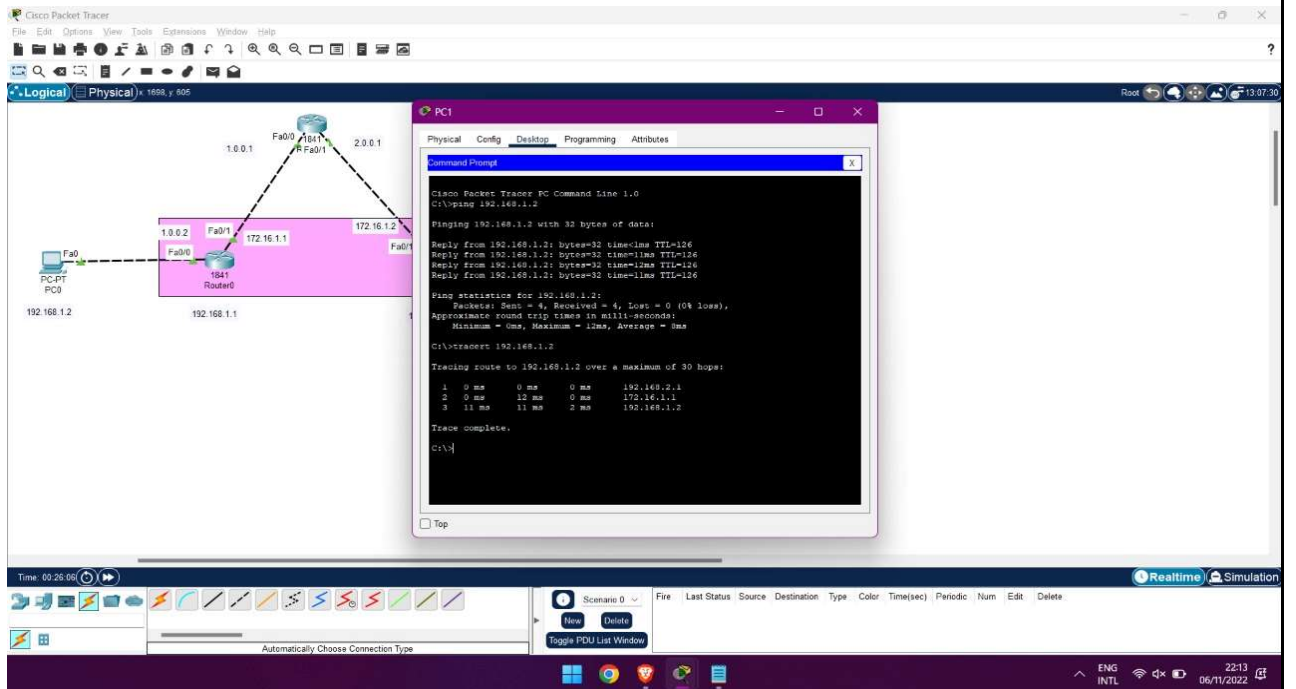
C:\>
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Bottom Screenshot: The same network diagram is shown, but the PC0's Command Prompt window now displays the results of a traceroute command to 192.168.2.2. The output shows the path taken by the packets, indicating a successful connection.

```
Cisco Packet Tracer PC Command Line 1.0
C:\>tracert 192.168.2.2

Tracing route to 192.168.2.2 over a maximum of 30 hops:
  0  0 ms  0 ms  0 ms  192.168.1.1
  1  0 ms  17 ms  0 ms  192.168.1.2
  2  11 ms  11 ms  11 ms  192.168.2.2
Trace complete.

C:\>
```



Cisco Packet Tracer - C:\Users\sk\Desktop\vpn project.pkt

File Edit Options View Tools Extensions Window Help

Logical Physical 1133 y 698

Router0

Physical Config CLI Attributes

IOS Command Line Interface

```
Type escape sequence to abort.
Sending 5, 100-byte ICMP Echoes to 2.0.0.2, timeout is 2 seconds:
.....
Success rate is 60 percent (3/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 0/0/0 ms

Router#ping 2.0.0.2

Type escape sequence to abort.
Sending 5, 100-byte ICMP Echoes to 2.0.0.2, timeout is 2 seconds:
!!!!!!
Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 0/0/0 ms

Router#conf t
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
Router(config)#interface tunnel 1
Router(config-if)#
ALINK-3-CHANGED: Interface Tunnel1, changed state to up
Router(config-if)#ip address 172.16.1.1 255.255.0.0
Router(config-if)#tunnel source FastEthernet0/1
Router(config-if)#tunnel destination 2.0.0.2
Router(config-if)#
ALINEPROTO-5-UPDOWN: Line protocol on Interface Tunnel1, changed state to up
no shut
Router(config-if)#
Router(config-if)#
Router(config-if)#exit
Ctrl-F5 to exit CLI focus
```

PC0

192.168.1.2

192.168.1.1

1.0.0.2 Fa0/0

1941 Router0

Time: 00:27:48

Scenario 0

New Delete

Toggle PDU List Window

Automatically Choose Connection Type

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Cisco Packet Tracer - C:\Users\sk\Desktop\vpn project.pkt

File Edit Options View Tools Extensions Window Help

Logical Physical 1018 y 398

Router2

Physical Config CLI Attributes

IOS Command Line Interface

```
ALINK-3-CHANGED: Interface FastEthernet0/1, changed state to up
ALINEPROTO-5-UPDOWN: Line protocol on Interface FastEthernet0/1, changed
state to up
Router(config-if)#
Router(config-if)#exit
Router(config)#
Router(config)#ip route 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 2.0.0.1
Router(config)#
Router(config)#interface tunnel 3
Router(config-if)#
ALINK-3-CHANGED: Interface Tunnel2, changed state to up
ip address 172.16.1.2 255.255.0.0
Router(config-if)#tunnel source FastEthernet0/1
Router(config-if)#
Router(config-if)#
Router(config-if)#tunnel destination 1.0.0.2
Router(config-if)#
ALINEPROTO-5-UPDOWN: Line protocol on Interface Tunnel2, changed state to up
no shut
Router(config-if)#exit
Router(config-if)#
Router(config-if)#exit
Router(config)#
Router(config)#exit
Ctrl-F5 to exit CLI focus
```

PC0

192.168.1.2

192.168.1.1

1.0.0.2 Fa0/0

1941 Router2

Time: 00:27:58

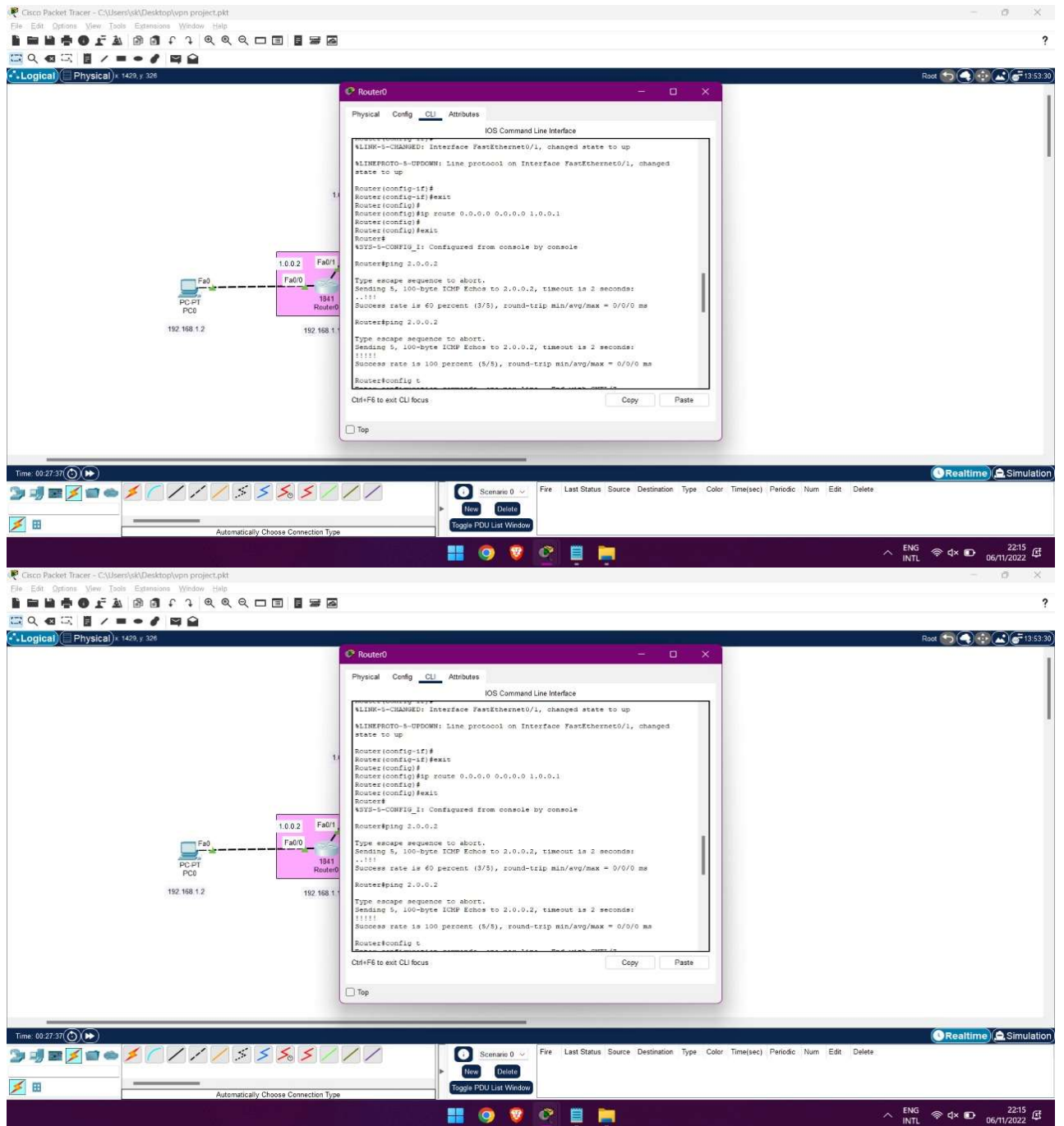
Scenario 0

New Delete

Toggle PDU List Window

Automatically Choose Connection Type

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7. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE ENHANCEMENT

VPN is an emerging technology that has come a long way. From an insecure breakoff of public Telephone networks to a powerful business aid that uses the internet as its gateway. VPN technology is still developing, and this is a great advantage to businesses, which need to have technology that is able to scale and grow along with them. With VPN businesses now have alternative benefits to offer to their employees, employees can work from home, take care of children while still doing productive, and have access to work-related information at any time. VPN will also help to make the possibility of a business expanding its services over long distances and globally, more of a reality.

Utilizing VPN results in a significant increase in network load and time delay. This is, however, a small price to pay for the security and privacy offered by a virtual 27 private networks. VPN is the most effective and versatile form of secure communication across long distances. More bandwidth is required to handle the additional network load. A VPN may require a computer hardware upgrade or even additional hardware. If network resources are not developed and expanded to meet the new VPN needs; companies may experience slower response times in e-mail, file delivery, and database inquiries. Model research showed that using a VPN to conduct database transactions adds an additional 446% delay to the query. Significant delay is also added to e-mail and FTP transactions. Leased lines and frame relay networks were the early expensive solution for private networks. Their higher expenses and greater hardware requirements lead to the spread of VPN technology.

The development of PPTP and L2FP protocols led to the integration of VPN technology. The need for increased security led to the integration of IPSec technology into the existing VPN framework. This also changed the focus of VPN technology from layer 2 to layer 3. Today users can remotely access resources through a secure, cheap and convenient virtual private network.

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